

Amendments to the Specification:

Page 2, after paragraph [0008.6], please insert the following 9 new paragraphs:

[0008.61] In a further aspect of the present invention, this is accomplished by providing a method of reciprocating a slidable room mounted in a vehicle between a retracted position and an extended position, a plurality of flexible drive members being fixedly attached to sides of the slidable room, the method comprising: pulling on a first set of the flexible drive members while simultaneously slackening a second set of the flexible drive members to move the slidable room from the retracted position to the extended position; and pulling on the second set of the flexible drive members while simultaneously slackening the first set of the flexible drive members to move the slidable room from the extended position to the retracted position.

[0008.62] In another aspect of the present invention, this is accomplished by providing a method of reciprocating a slidable room mounted in a vehicle between a retracted position and an extended position, a plurality of pairs of flexible members being attached to the slidable room, each pair of flexible members comprising a short flexible member and a long flexible member, the method comprising: pulling on two first pairs of flexible members while simultaneously slackening two second pairs of flexible members to move the slidable room from the retracted position to the extended position; and pulling on the two second pairs of flexible members while simultaneously slackening the two first pairs of flexible members to move the slidable room from the retracted position to the extended position.

[0008.63] In yet a further aspect of the present invention, this is accomplished by providing a method of installing a drive mechanism for reciprocating a slidable room mounted in a vehicle between a retracted position and an extended position, the method comprising: providing four pairs of flexible drive members, one flexible drive member of each pair being shorter than the other flexible drive member of the same pair, each flexible drive member having a first end and a second end; attaching the second ends of the first pair of flexible drive members to an outside portion on a first side of the slidable room; attaching the second ends of the second pair of flexible drive members to an outside portion on a second side of the slidable room; attaching the second ends of the third pair of flexible drive members to an inside portion on the first side of the

slidable room; and attaching the second ends of the fourth pair of flexible drive members to an inside portion on the second side of the slidable room.

[0008.64] In another aspect of the present invention, this is accomplished by providing a drive mechanism for reciprocating a slidable room mounted in a vehicle between a retracted position and an extended position, the drive mechanism comprising: a pair of flexible drive members, each pair of flexible drive members having a first cable and a second cable, the first cable being shorter than the second cable; and a driver connected to each pair of flexible drive members, wherein the driver has two ends, one pair of flexible driver members being connected on one end of the driver and the other pair of flexible drive members being connected to the other end of the driver.

[0008.65] In a further aspect of the present invention, this is accomplished by providing a jamb for attachment to a vehicle and for use with a slidable room adapted to be installed in an opening in the vehicle, the jamb comprising: an elongated jamb member adapted for attachment to the vehicle adjacent the vehicle opening, the elongated jamb member having an upper part and a lower part; a plurality of pulleys rotatably attached to the elongated jamb member; and two pairs of cables, each cable extending around at least one pulley and extending outward through the elongated jamb member.

[0008.66] In a further aspect of the present invention, this is accomplished by providing a drive mechanism for reciprocating a slidable room mounted in a vehicle between a retracted position and an extended position, the drive mechanism comprising: a pair of drive members, each drive member comprising a central reciprocable driver having two ends; and a pair of flexible members attached to each central reciprocable driver end, each drive member thereby having a double "Y"-shape, the central reciprocable driver being reciprocable between a first position corresponding to the retracted position and a second position corresponding to the extended position.

[0008.67] In another aspect of the present invention, this is accomplished by providing a vehicle comprising: at least one wall having an opening therein; a room inserted into the opening of the at least one wall, the room being reciprocable between an extended position and a retracted position; two sets of flexible drive members attached to the room; a plurality of anchors fixedly securing each set of the flexible drive members to the room; a driver reciprocating the two sets of

flexible drive members moving the room between the extended position and the retracted position; and a lock preventing movement of the room when the room is stationary.

[0008.68] In a further aspect of the present invention, this is accomplished by providing a vehicle comprising: at least one wall having an opening therein; a room inserted into the opening of the at least one wall, the room being reciprocable between an extended position and a retracted position; two sets of flexible drive members, one set being associated with a first side of the room, the other set being associated with an opposite side of the room; a plurality of anchors fixedly securing the flexible drive members to the room, the plurality of anchors comprising vertically spaced apart anchors fixedly securing each set of flexible drive members to the room.

[0008.69] In a further aspect of the present invention, this is accomplished by providing a vehicle comprising: at least one wall having an opening therein; a room inserted into the opening of the at least one wall, the room being reciprocable between an extended position and a retracted position, the room having a first side and a second side parallel to and offset from the first side; and two sets of flexible drive members, one set being associated with the first side of the room, the other set being associated with the second side of the room, each set of flexible drive members comprising: two pairs of flexible drive members, two flexible drive members extending in a first direction along a side of the room, two flexible drive members extending along the side of the room in a second direction opposite the first direction; and a plurality of anchors fixedly securing the flexible drive members to the room, one anchor being attached to an upper portion of an inside portion of the side of the room, one anchor being attached to a lower portion of the inside portion of the side of the room, one anchor being attached to an upper portion of an outside portion of the side of the room, and, one anchor being attached to a lower portion of the outside portion of the room.

Please replace paragraph [0037] with the following paragraph:

[0037] The vehicle 20 may alternatively or further comprise one or more reciprocable storage slideout units 26, which may serve as storage compartments. This second or storage slideout unit 26, ~~show in~~ shown in a closed (or retracted) position in FIGS. 1 and 2, may be disposed in a lower portion of a side wall of vehicle body 22. The actuating system or drive mechanism for reciprocating the storage slideout unit 26 may be similar to that used to reciprocate room slideout

unit 24, but may be smaller and less powerful (since a storage slideout unit 26 is much lighter than a room slideout unit 24) and may be positioned differently.